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OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

—OF THE—

Board of Supervisors of Santa Cruz County.

Office of the Board of Supervisors of Santa Cruz County, Nogales, Feb. 3, 1903.

The board met pursuant to recess of February 2nd, 1903. All members and clerk present.

Petitions were now read asking for the appointment of R. T. Rankin, as road overseer in road districts Nos. 5 and 6. On mention, he was appointed and clerk instructed to notify him to file his bond accordingly.

Assignment of court house contract by James Vandevort to Roy & Titcomb, incorporated was presented and filed.

Ed. Williams appeared before the board on behalf of the town of Nogales and presented an argument in support of a demand for \$750, presented by said town to cover one-half expenses of small pox epidemic in said town.

On motion to allow the claim it was lost by the following vote: Aye—Jas. A. Harrison No.—Richard Farrell and Henry Hamon.

"In the Matter of the assignment of Court House Contract, it was ordered that the assignment papers be returned with instructions to fill out in legal form and also with a request to strengthen bond to the amount of \$10,000.

Communication from Pima County regarding the Narrow Gauge R. R. Bonds was referred to the district attorney.

Upon motion, duly carried it was ordered that the assessor be instructed to collect the delinquent property tax for the year 1902. Petition signed by citizens and tax payers of road district No. 4, praying for appointment of James Brash as road overseer for said district, was now presented. On motion, he was appointed and clerk instructed to notify him of said appointment and to file his bond in the sum of \$1,000 as required by law.

Mr. Titcomb and Mr. Marsh now presented legal assignment of court house contract to Roy & Titcomb, Inc.

Demand of Roy & Titcomb, Inc. \$2,100, part payment on court house contract, was allowed and ordered paid out of the court house building fund.

On motion, it was ordered that the treasurer be instructed to transfer the sum of \$1,247.51 from the Redemption Fund to the Treasurer of Pima county for payment of interest on 5% bonds. It was further ordered that the Treasurer of Pima county be instructed to pay the sum of \$997.17 (amount to the credit of Santa Cruz county) for interest on Pima county 5% bonds, making a total of \$2,244.68 amount of coupons attached to said bonds.

Upon motion the board now adjourned until April 1st 1903, at 10 a. m.

APPROVED, R. FARRELL,

Chairman.

ATTEST:

PHIL HEROLD, Clerk.

Office of the Board of Supervisors of Santa Cruz County, Nogales, Feb. 16, 1903.

The board met in special session pursuant to call of the Chairman. Present Chairman Richard Farrell, Members Jas. A. Harrison and Henry Hamon and Clerk Phil Herold.

The clerk now read a communication received from the Board of Supervisors of Pima county, with reference to the Narrow Gauge R. R. Bonds, and asking that board meet with them concerning this matter as soon as possible.

On motion it was ordered that this board meet with the Pima county board on February 17th 1903.

Upon motion it was ordered that a warrant for \$100 on the general fund, be drawn in favor of Richard Farrell for the payment of expenses of trip to Tucson to attend joint meeting.

Upon application, a leave of absence from the territory was granted to District Attorney Frank J. Duffy for five days from February 16th 1903.

The board now adjourned till April 1st, 1903.

APPROVED, R. FARRELL,

Chairman.

ATTEST:

PHIL HEROLD, Clerk.

Tucson, Arizona, February 17th, 1903.

The board of supervisors of Santa Cruz county, consisting of Chairman Richard Farrell, Members Jas. A. Harrison and Henry Hamon, met in joint session, pursuant to arrangements previously made as appears in the minutes of previous meetings of the board of supervisors of Pima county, consisting of Chairman Rebell and Members Vail and Ronstadt at 1:30 p. m., on February 17, 1903, Clerk Mets being present and Clerk Herold absent on account of sickness.

Rochester Ford appeared before the joint session pursuant to request and fully states the present status of the litigation touching the Pima county bonds issued to the Arizona Narrow Gauge Railroad and reported that the Loan Commission of Arizona has ordered all of said bonds and the unpaid interest coupons funded forthwith in (3%) three per cent bonds, and further reported that no further defense could be made against the funding of the bonds.

Following the report of Mr. Ford the joint session on motion duly seconded and unanimously carried decided by final effort to memorialize the 22nd Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Arizona now in session, urging said Legislative Assembly to appeal to the Congress of the United States now in session by a proper memorial to grant an appropriation from the treasury of the United States sufficient to cover all of said bonds and accrued and unpaid interest, to the end that same may be forthwith paid and cancelled and not funded by Loan Commission. District Attorney Dale was instructed to at once prepare a memorial to be presented by this joint session to the Legislative Assembly also a memorial to forward to Hon. J. B. Corbett, joint councilman of Pima and Santa Cruz counties for presentation to the Congress of the United States by the 22nd Legislative Assembly of Arizona.

On motion, and all members voting "aye" the joint board took a recess until 7:30 p. m.

The board met at 7:30 p. m., pursuant to recess of afternoon session. All members present at afternoon session were present at the evening session.

District Attorney Dale appeared before the joint session and presented a draft for the memorial to be passed by the joint session to be presented to the Legislature of Arizona. On motion duly seconded and unanimously carried, the memorial so presented was passed and adopted (copy filed) and ordered forwarded immediately to Hon. J. B. Corbett, with the request that he immediately bring the matter before the Legislative Assembly now in session. A draft of the joint memorial to be addressed by the Legislative Assembly of Arizona, now in session, to the Con-

gress of the United States now in session and the same was unanimously approved by the joint session and four copies ordered sent by the next mail to the Hon. J. B. Corbett at Phoenix, Arizona.

Upon motion and all members of the joint board voting "aye," it was ordered that the joint board stand at recess until 10 a. m. Feb. 18, 1903.

ANDRES REBEIL,
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Pima County, Arizona.

RICHARD FARRELL,
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Santa Cruz County, Arizona.

ATTEST:

JOHN METS,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Pima County, Arizona.

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Danger Which Threatens.

The people of Arizona regardless of party affiliations, are emphatically opposed to the proposed union of the Territories of Arizona and New Mexico and their admission as one state, and the press of the Territory is unanimous in voicing this sentiment. Federal, Territorial, County and City officials and every citizen of any prominence or influence in Arizona can be counted upon to oppose any such a measure. Governor Brodie, who is considered the personal representative of the administration in the Territory is known to be against any measure looking toward such a union and has been quoted as saying that he would prefer to see Arizona remain a Territory for years rather than to see it united with New Mexico and admitted to statehood. It is hinted, that when Governor Brodie went to Albuquerque this spring to meet the President, he was given the cold shoulder by the New Mexican politicians, because of his attitude on joint statehood proposition, but when the President spied his old comrade of the Cuban campaign among the reception committee, the New Mexican politicians were cast aside and given little or no opportunity to further their political plot.

The people of Arizona have good reason to oppose union with New Mexico for Arizona has little in common with that Territory. We in Arizona take pride in our commonwealth, our institutions and our government. The public debt of this Territory is much smaller than that of New Mexico and in reality Arizona is in as good a financial condition as any state in the union. Joint statehood with New Mexico would mean the sacrifice of Arizona institutions including the University of Arizona, in which Tucson and the Territory takes so much pride, for but one University in a state can receive government aid under the Morrill Act. New Mexico could out vote Arizona on every matter that came up and statehood under such conditions would merely mean to bring Arizona under the control of New Mexico instead of the general government. With the administration that President Roosevelt has given this Territory, government control, as far as it exercised over the Territories is much more desirable than submitting to the dictates of New Mexico on all political questions. The danger which threatens is great and a campaign of education should at once be begun by Arizona with the members of Congress in order that they may be given a proper understanding of the conditions as they exist and the popular sentiment in this Territory.—Tucson Post.

Willard Wright has received notification of his appointment as Collector of Customs at the Port of Naco. Mr. Wright will leave the early part of the week to assume the duties of his office. The appointment meets with the commendation of the Republicans, as well as the Democrats of the territory, as Mr. Wright has not only been a strong party worker, but one of the substantial citizens of southern Arizona. Mr. Wright's family will accompany him and make Naco their home.—Star.

TERRIBLE PHOENIX HEAT.

Miss Christie and Joe Igo Die From Its Effects.

Miss Christie, a young woman who came here very recently from some town on the coast, died quite suddenly last evening, at the Grand View lodging house on Washington street. Dr. Plath who was summoned, though too late to do anything for her relief, says he thinks it was a well defined case of heat prostration, says the Phoenix Republican dated August 21st. Special interest attaches to the incident for the reason that it is the first time death has resulted here in a case of heat prostration that was unaccompanied by the use of liquors or other complications superinducing a fatal termination.

Miss Christie complained in the forenoon that she was not feeling well and crossing over the court house plaza sat down for a time on one of the benches. Returning to the Grand View she told Mrs. Schmidt, an elderly lady who was in charge, that she felt worse and would lie down for a while. Sometime after Mrs. Schmidt heard Miss Christie breathing stertorously and became alarmed. She entered the room and tried to arouse her but could not do so. Then she sent for Dr. Plath. When he arrived she was already dying and her temperature was 108.1.

Little is known of Miss Christie, who is believed to be about 22 or 23 years old, except what can be gleaned from letters in her possession and which indicate that she has brothers living in Portland, Oregon. The body was taken to A. J. Bradley's parlors pending instructions for its disposition.

Yesterday at ten o'clock Joe Igo, an employee of the M. & P. railroad company working on the bridge which is under construction at Tempe suddenly fell dead from the heat. At the time he was working under Ernest Holliday who says that the man had not complained of any great fatigue. Mr. Igo has worked on the Southern Pacific railroad for many years and was only recently transferred to the M. & P. division. Undertakers at Tempe have taken care of the body. Relatives of the dead man in Minnesota have been telegraphed as to the disposition of the body.—Phoenix Democrat.

Frank Peterson, an employee of the Pioneer Transfer Company who has recently come down to this city from Prescott while working in a freight car on the M. & P. tracks became overcome by the heat. For some time it looked doubtful as to whether he would recover but he was finally revived. Peterson is a large man and says that the weather here is much more intense than it is in Prescott.—Phoenix Democrat.

Will Resume Operations.

"Supt. S. C. Prunty, of the Arizona-Pacific Copper company, returned Saturday from his summer vacation in California, and, after attending to some business matters here, left for Clifton on private business connected with an improvement on the present smelting process, says the Florence Tribune, Aug. 22. The invention is his own. He will return here inside of a few days to make preparations for resuming active operations at the Arizona-Pacific Copper Company's mines, and it is expected that work will be continued thereafter without interruption. The directors of the company will arrive here on the first of next month to confer with Superintendent Prunty at the mine. The first thing that will be done after starting work in the two double-compartment shafts will be the erection of a commodious bunk house, boarding house and other needed buildings."

The Arizona-Pacific Copper company is the one in which Percy Sharpe well known in this city is interested, he being at present in Indianapolis on business connected with the company, where the main offices are situated.